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SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Additional claim fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

			CLAIMS AS AMENDI	ED		
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS		-0-	() X 25.00 () X 50.00	0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS		-0-	() X 100.00 () X 200.00	0.00
Application amended to contain any multiple dependent claims not previously paid for.			() YES (X) NO	()\$180.00 ()\$360.00 ONE TIME		
TOTAL ADDITION FOR THIS AMEND				\$ 0.00		

- X Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend this time for response to the Office Action dated July 13, 2007 for 1 month so that the period for response is extended to November 13, 2007.
- \underline{X} Postal money order no. 05754791338 in the amount of \$\frac{120.00}{200}\$ is attached to cover the extension fee.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Applicant's Attorneys' credit card in the amount of to cover the additional claim fee. Form 2038 is attached.
- X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 19-3140. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed. When phoning re this application, please call 312/876-8000 Ext. 2606.

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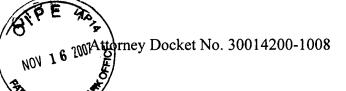
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed July 13, 2007. Applicants respectfully request amendment of the application, and reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims.